

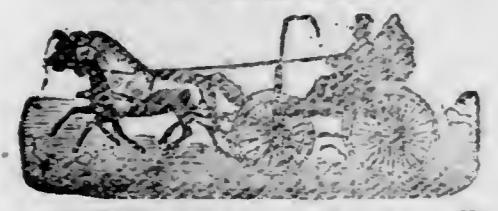
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CHASKA, MINN., THURSDAY AUGUST 6, 1885.

WHOLE NO. 1184.

**NEW  
Livery, Feed & Sale  
STABLE.**



Stable next door to Engine House, CHASKA MINN.

New Sleighs!  
New Carriages!!

Outfits can be had at any hour of the day or night by calling at the Barn Office.

TERMS REASONABLE.  
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**Waconia Brewery.**

MICH. ZAHLEB, Prop.  
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This brewery has been enlarged and new machinery added to the establishment making it one of the best inland breweries of the state. All orders for beer promptly filled and satisfaction guaranteed.

Give us a trial.

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**Chaska Bazar.**

I have just started in with a new and elegant stock of goods consisting of

Notions, Toy Confectionery, Writing & Binding Presents, Holiday Goods, Stationery, Jewelry, Musical Instruments, Pipes, Tobaccos, Cigars, Choice Fruits etc.

Bear in mind that my goods are all new and fresh and will be sold at a small profit. It will be to your own benefit to call in and see me before purchasing elsewhere.

Store opposite P. Hiltz, at G. Eder's old stand.

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Will take contracts for all kinds of buildings and guarantee low prices and first-class work. Are also prepared to furnish all kinds of building material.

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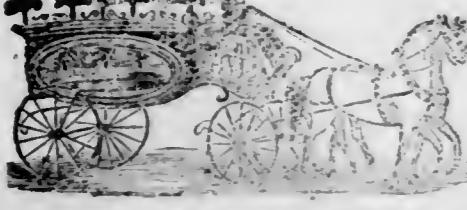
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The "Country Club" is now prepared for business. If you want a square meal and a clean bed stop with me, opposite the Minn. & St. L. Depot.

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There is a good deal of sickness in this vicinity and Dr. Riches is full of business.

Harvest will be done in this part of the county at the end of this week.

Sheriff DuToit and family spent a few days in town the past week.

Heaven smiles on Waconia. Two or three excursions every week and every body who looks upon the beauties of Coney Island is delighted. Every excursion so far has voted to return next year to this most beautiful of all resorts. So next year bids fair to be even more prosperous than the present. The excursion composed of the employees of the M. & St. P. Ry. was the largest affair in the history of our flourishing village, Coney Island seemed to be completely covered with happy smiling people. The day was delightfully pleasant and nothing happened to mar the pleasure of the day. The two steamers did an immense business that day.

George Bauerschmidt Sr., whose wealth was considerably damaged by fire takes the matter in a very philosophic manner and offers no complaints. Mr. B. is no chronic growler but lets the world wag as it will.

There are forty Sisters of Charity spending a few weeks in the St. Joseph school house in this place.

Gerhard Deutscher returned home from his trip to Holland on Sunday. We have not seen him since.

Geo. Mix, wife and daughter of Waconia accompanied by Mrs. Estabrook of Carlton College an old friend of Mrs. Mix who is residing there for a few weeks at the Lake, were in town on Sunday calling on old friends.

Dr. C. W. Riches was also in our village on Sunday, full of business as usual.

Mrs. Capt. Houghton of Minneapolis was in town visiting her daughter Mrs. Geo. A. DuToit.

Watertown.

Your Watertown quill driver is not dead, but sleeping."

Our machine agents have all been busy the past week, setting up and starting binders.

The new blacksmith shop seems to catch some of the horse shoeing.

Attorney Steidle will not be in Watertown again until fair day, next Monday.

The G. A. R. Post and the Fire department stood for a picture last Sunday. Mr. Coffin, of Delano is the Artist.

A small little girl, and Jake Kolster is just as happy as if it had been a boy.

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J. H. Stewart, a native of Belgium, H. B. Smith, a native of the district of Oswego, N. Y., Joseph Magoffin, a district of Paducah, Ky., Charles G. Smith, a native of New Mexico, and Senator John Smith, a native of Columbia, Andrew N. Smith, a native of New Jersey, and George W. Smith, a native of New York, were recently appointed as commissioners to the census.

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**NEW PRICES**

**— NEW —**

**BOOTS & SHOE STORE**

BY

**FRANK EISELE**

Chaska — Minn.

I have just received and opened a large stock of boots, shoes, slippers, rubber boots, slippers, etc.

All goods warranted No. 1 in quality and will be sold very cheap.

**CHEAP FOR CASH**

Store opposite Chas. Eders' room.

**Chaska House,**

CHASKA, MINN.

**Ferd Hammer Prop.**

This house is thoroughly finished, and offers the best accommodations for board.

**BY THE DAY OR WEEK**

and for the Traveling Public

**GOOD STABLING ATTACHED**

Charges Moderate.

**CARPENTER**

**BUILDER & MOVER.**

**BERNARD RAVEN,**

Waconia, — Minn.

The undersigned will contract for building new buildings, moving buildings, repairing buildings and in any kind of carpenter work. Charges reasonable.

**Marble Shop.**



St. HUBERT CHANHASSEN.

The undersigned has opened a new marble shop in St. Hubert, Chanhassen, and is ready to supply all kinds of building and masonry work of all kinds, and will guarantee all of his work as to quality and workmanship, and places that will defy all competitions.

**WORK SOLICITED.**

Peter Petersen, Prop.

**VALLEY HERALD.**  
**R. R. TIME TABLE**

Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R.

SOUTH NORTH

Passenger 6:30 a.m. Passenger 6:30 a.m.

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NATIONAL HOTEL  
and  
**GILLARDHALL**  
CHASKA - MINN.  
Peter Iltis, Proprietor.

This well known Hotel has recently been  
refurnished throughout with new furni-  
ture and beds and is now No. 1 in every  
respect.

**THE BAR**

Is stocked with the finest imported  
Liquors, wines and cigars  
and the coolest and  
best beer in town  
constantly kept  
on draught.

*Give me a call and become satisfied  
that I say is true.*

**Washington House!**  
CHASKA, MINNESOTA.

**Mrs John Kerk**

A well known Hotel has been  
entirely refitted, and now offers  
the best accommodation to the  
traveling public.

**Good Sample Room for  
Traveling Salesmen.**

The best of LIQUORS, WINES & CIGARS  
kept at the bar.

**Fresh Beer always on tap.**

**Charges Reasonable.**  
(TABLE ATTACHED)

**E. Besemann.**  
**Billiard Hall !**

CHASKA, MINN.

I have just fitted up  
one of the neatest  
SALOONS AND BILLIARD HALLS

In Chaska, and will keep con-  
stantly on hand the best of  
Liquors, Wines and Cigars.

Also Fresh Beer on tap every morning.  
FREE LUNCH EVERY MORNING.  
GIVE ME A CALL.

**MEAT MARKET**  
by  
**Charles Gehl**

CHASKA - MINN.  
Always keep on hand Fresh Beef, Pork, Mu-  
tton, Corned Beef, Ham, Smoked Sausage,  
Dried Lard, &c.

EW Street. By 10 M.

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**HUBERT CHANHASSEN,**  
an upholsterer has opened a new  
store in St. Charles, Henderson, and is ready  
to furnish documents, new-stones and mat-  
tress, chairs, sofas, and general furniture. All  
the work as to quality and workmanship, and  
prices that will defy all competitions.

WORK SOLICITED.

PETER FEYERSTEIN,  
Prop'r



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CHASKA - MINN.  
Peter Hitz, Proprietor.

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and tools and is now No. 1 in every  
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constantly kept  
on draft.

"Give me a cold beer and become satisfied  
that I am in there."

Washington House!  
CHASKA, MINN.  
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best of accommodation to the  
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Good Sample Room for  
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BERNARD RAVEN,

Wacconia Minn.

The undersigned will guarantee for builder  
providing for moving, building, repairing  
and mending all kinds of houses, barns, garages,  
work, &c., reasonable prices.

JOHN REEDSON, Prop.

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PEPPER PEPPERS.

Our old fellow citizen F. W. Seeger, came up from St. Paul on Sunday and spent the day with his numerous Chaska friends, returning on Monday.

Co. Auditor Struckens and Druggist Franken, will leave for their annual "Prairie chicken" hunt on the 13th. They go to Renville Co. and take a good supply of "ammunition" with them.

Register Greiner, Judge Schuler

Treasurer Weisgo, Mr. Degen and

Andersson presented several days

camping on the banks of lake Minneota at Smith town last week.

They report a good time.

Emiel Oestrich has purchased a

lot from Fred Elder adjoining the

lot purchased by his brother Helmuth and will also erect a brick

building on the same. That part

of town will eventually be the prettiest part of our village.

Miss Tina Wirtz and Sisters

Wilhelmina and Louisa left for Wilkes-Barre, Pa., on Monday evening.

The former will enter the Convent

at that place. She is a daughter

of Mr Wirtz of this village, and a

sister of Henry Wirtz of Laketown.

Charlie Ramsdill is now State

Attala at Pattersville, Iowa, under

the supervision of our former

townsman, Supt E. W. Graves, on

the C. M. & St. P. R. R.

TIME TABLE NO. 5.

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CHASKA, MINN., THURSDAY AUGUST 20, 1885.

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Livery, Feed & Sale  
STABLE.**



Stable next door to Eugene House,  
CHASKA — MINN.

New Sleighs!  
New Carriages!!

Outfits can be had at any hour of the day or night by calling at the Barn Office.

TERMS REASONABLE.  
P. H. FINNEGAN, Prop.

**Waconia Brewery!**

MICH. ZAHLER, Prop.  
Waconia, Carver County, Minn.

This brewery has been enlarged and new machinery added to the establishment making it one of the best inland breweries of the state. All orders for beer promptly filled and satisfaction guaranteed.

Give us a trial.

J. BIERSTETTEL.

**Chaska Bazar**

I have just started in with a new and elegant stock of goods consisting of Notions, Toys, Confectionery, Clothing and Birthday Presents, Holiday Goods, Stationery, Jewelry, Musical Instruments, Pipes, Tobacco, Cigars, Choice Fruits etc.

Bear in mind that my goods are all new and fresh and will be sold at a small profit. It will be to your own benefit to call in and see me before purchasing elsewhere.

Store opposite P. Iltis, at G. Eder's old stand.

**JOHN BIERSTETTEL.**

ENGER & WIENHOLD.

**CARPENTER**

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We will take contracts for all kinds of buildings, and guarantee low prices and first-class work. Are also prepared to furnish all kinds of building material.

Plans and specifications furnished on demand. We are also prepared to supply builders with doors, sash and blinds.

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Wholesale & Retail Dealer in

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I am now prepared to sell to the trade the choicest wines, liquors and cigars at below St. Paul and Minneapolis prices.

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Furniture, Carpets, Window

Shades, Oil Cloth, Mattresses,

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Parties desiring the use of these

Hearse will find it to their

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The "Commercial" is now prepared for business. If you want a square meal, and a clean bed stop with me, opposite the M. & St. L. Depot.

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Augt For The Celebrated

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COUNTY OFFICERS:

Attala—Peter Wegen.

Register of Deeds—F. Greiner.

Clerk of Court—O. Kreyenb.

Sheriff—H. C. Schell.

Judge of Probate—John Scheler.

Coroner—W. P. Cash.

County Commissioners—S. R. Kohler.

Chairman, Geo. Kugler, E. S. Harrison, Clas Arine and Jacob Truwe.

REY Collector Biermann has taken possession of the collectors office. Also Mr. Guernon, that collector of customs at St. Vincent.

Our brass band goes into practice again this week. Now for a long pull of steady work and some fine concertos this winter.

Peter Efferts has broken ground for a fine new barn. He is also going to build a large granary this fall.

Miss Lola Mix of Waconia was in town visiting friends last week. Miss Lola is a fine musician and brim full of life and good feeling. Come again and stay longer.

Who says Norwood is not a commercial town of importance?

2000 pounds of commercial baggage left here on the afternoon passenger train last Saturday.

Finnegan Bros. are putting out steam threshing rigs every day.

Gilt edged butter at the factory by the ton.

Chickens are ripe but not time to pick them just now.

Geo Koegel is our butcher again. Hope it will be a permanent thing this time.

Attempted Murder.

The St. Paul dailies of Monday, contain an account of the shooting of Mrs. Towsky by her husband August. Mrs. Towsky was formerly Miss Lena Ludloff, eldest daughter of Charles Ludloff the well known pioneer farmer of Dallgren.

From the accounts published it seems that Towsky asked his wife to sew a button on his pants Sunday morning and he shot her while she was coming towards him with needle and thread to sew the button on, and when within six feet of her he fired his revolver at her, the ball entering her left side, between the sixth and seventh ribs, passing through the stomach and into the pleural cavity at the back. Her husband was immediately arrested and lodged in jail, awaiting the result of the wound which is considered dangerous.

Mrs. Towsky says she has been ill treated by her husband during the three years of her married life, and thinks he intended to kill her.

Towsky had his wife insured a short time ago for \$7,500, and it is thought that he was after the insurance money.

Very little is known regarding Towsky in this County, and further developments are awaited with considerable anxiety in this County.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludloff having the sympathy of the entire County over the result of this unfortunate affair.

The yield of wheat has been greatly overestimated in Minnesota. It will fall fully one third short of the lowest estimate set afloat by the wheat rings and elevator men. The yield last year in the county is officially given at nearly 21 bushel per acre. We are fortunate if we get an average yield of 15 bushels this year, and much inferior in quality to that of last year. Reduce your figures gentlemen, and give the farmers a fair price for their grain.

The premium list of the twenty-seventh annual fair of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society has been received. This fair is to be held on the new grounds midway between St. Paul and Minneapolis from the 7th to the 12th of September and competition is open to the world. It promises to be the largest fair ever given by the society, the appropriation of \$160,000 by the last legislature for the erection of suitable buildings and the donation by Ramsey County of land given and land necessary capital to make it a great success. The usual premiums are offered for nearly every conceivable industry. There will be reduced rates on all railroads, and it has been so arranged that trains will leave the grounds every ten minutes during the day. Further particulars will be published in the paper.

threshing Notes.

Several machines will commence threshing in this vicinity the latter part of this week and the first of next, and we hope to be able to publish reports from different localities in the county as to yield and quality.

Harvest Festival.

We call the attention of our readers to the add of Peter Iltis, announcing a harvest festival at Union Brewery Grove, Chaska, Sunday, Aug. 23d 1885. Chaska Cornet Band will furnish music for the occasion, and the days entertainment will conclude with a grand dance in the new Barn at the Brewery.

BUY THE

**Carver Plow**

ITS THE BEST

FULLY WARRANTED.

Plow repairing

DONE AT THE

**CARVER FLOW WROK.**

Norwood.

Two story frame house with brick floor, new brick block, for rent. Two rooms let in first class style for a Drug Store. For particulars call on Herman Brinkhous.

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and we have time to figure up our

profit and loss.

They did not steal anything

that they could not carry away

neither did they leave anything

that could be conveniently stolen

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profit and loss.

— Harvesting is about done, no

threshing returning in yet, but the

yield must be above the average.

— The busiest man in town just

now is Jerry. Guess he must be fit

himself for a big job of some

fine concertos this winter.

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#### THE OLD STORY.

Shadowed by the willow tree,  
Now, as I sit alone,  
Sands my neighbor, Rosie Leo,  
Cares no more.  
Sweetest is the fragrant flower,  
With the dew-drop laden,  
Fairest the rose, the fairest hour,  
Is the wisomna maid.

From the maple's top-most limb,  
With the first of day,  
Comes the sweetest name hymn,  
Sweetest the song.  
Yet the song the manion sings,  
Tunes the heart to woe,  
To one heart a rapture brings,  
E'en more pure and holy.

Happier thought than lips can speak  
Beams in her blue eyes;  
Joy that the heart can't check—  
Her brothered laugh!  
Hear the lilac's bloom,  
Or the nightingale's song,  
All that in her heart finds  
Is Love's sweet, old story.

—Nathan Updegraff.

**DONNA ISABELLA.**

Elliott H. Bohm in Chicago Tribune.  
We had been married four weeks, Louis and I, and had just returned from our eastern trip to the cozy little home waiting for us. I was a teacher; Louis a bookkeeper. All our savings were in bank and were the nucleus around which our dollars were to cling until there was enough to buy us a home. I was strong and well and was going to do my own work. Why, I just laughed at the idea of having a servant. "What was there to do?" said, "in a house all newly furnished and with only Louis and me in it?"

"Have you everything you want, love?" asked Louis the first day after our housekeeping.

"Why, yes, I think so; let me see—bread, butter, meat, vegetables, sugar, tea, coffee—but there! we have no milk. Where shall I get milk, Louis?"

"I'm sure I don't quite know, dear; milkmen go about the streets; I've seen them with their tin cans hundreds of times. I wonder who that nice looking little woman next door gets her from."

"Don't you think I'd better run over and ask her?"

"I don't know; that's just the thing, pot, you see, she hasn't called on me, and—"

"Called? why, how could she when we only got back last night? I sure there could be nothing wrong in my going to her door and ask her to be so kind as to tell her milk man to bring me some."

"No, of course there couldn't," said Louis, so he waited while I ran over.

"A little girl brings her milk, and she says they are clean people, so I asked her to send us to also. She seems to be a nice little woman," said I when I returned.

"Well, nowyou are all right; I'll be off," and Louis kissed me and went down the stairs.

O, that first dinner! You see I knew very little about cooking, and cooked three times a day, and it was not done nicely either, but Louis only laughed and said: "What could be expected of a school teacher?" and that he was sure in a month's time I would be the best cook in that street," and that it was the best dinner he had ever eaten in any way, because the best little wife in the world cooked it." Then I laughed and we were just as jolly as could be.

Just as we had finished there was a timid knock at the kitchen door and a little girl with milk entered.

"Come right into the dining room," I said, "I want to give you some cake. Have you little sisters and brothers?"

"Yes,"

"Well, take this cake to them," I said, filling her plate. "Now what is your name?"

"Dorisabelle.

"What?"

"Dorisabelle."

"Good heavens, Louis! Can she make Doris Isabella?"

"Yes," said the child with a pleased smile.

There was a dreadful pause. Louis' eyes were wider open than I had ever seen them before. He did look so ridiculous.

"O—oh—yes—there—you may go now. 'Good night,' I stammered. The door closed, and then I heard Louis' steps as he went up the stairs.

The next morning, when I awoke, I found Louis still in bed, and Louis rolled down my face, and Louis took his lip and we both laughed.

Ah me, what a little thing it takes to make young, happy people laugh. It seems to be as though back then Louis and I were laughing nearly all the time in those days.

"You did not tell Her Majesty to keep or bring us milk," said Louis at last.

"I was too overcome, but one of her rank will surely know enough when being told," I retorted. And she did. The next morning, when we were at dinner the door opened, and a sonorous and the dark cloud of impatience that brooded over that home seemed so very, very pitiful to me. The next day I was to leave, and Louis' eyes were filled with tears.

"Henry the Eighth," I suggested.

"Henry, but maybe the baby will like it," I said.

"Good Lord, give us," I cried, looking at Louis for the first time.

"The group would be more artistic, dear, with Henry the Eighth. It's hard, with Henry and Prince Albert to be seen to be living in some house, but Napoleon is absent, will observe, so if we let Henry the Eighth appear he will, no doubt, appropriate them both, so unless Napoleon should make his appearance, we must find him, and we mad hope that this catastrophe."

"Prince Albert, do you like apples?"

"Yes, I do."

"Of course, you do, take them; there are no such like as these in the royal— that is, bring one of the others to-morrow. Let me see, Elizabeth; I always thought I should like to see Elizabeth. What a pity Balsam or Louis can't come with her, but I don't know if I can bring him along. After that we may arrange an audience with Victoria, and—well, I don't know about George the Third. I'm afraid he is not very presentable, but—"

"Oh, can't walk yet!" exclaimed Doris Isabella.

I could not begin to relate all the stories I had about that family. We had them all, but I never met the royal— that is, bring one of the others to-morrow. Let me see, Elizabeth; I always thought I should like to see Elizabeth. What a pity Balsam or Louis can't come with her, but I don't know about George the Third. I'm afraid he is not very presentable, but—"

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THE BAR  
stocked with the finest imported  
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on draught.  
Come in and become satisfied.  
It may be true.

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CHASKA, MINNESOTA.

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Good Sample Room for  
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All LIQUORS, WINES & CIGARS  
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Bear skins on tap.

DRAUGHT Reasonable.

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Have just fitted up  
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Fresh Beer on tap every morning.

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LIQUOR MARKET  
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Keep on hand Fresh Beer, Pork, Mutton,

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NEW GOODS  
NEW PRICES  
— NEW —

JOHN EISLE

Chaska Minn.

have just received and opened  
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shirts, rubber boots, slippers,

All goods warranted No. 1 in  
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CHEAP FOR CASH!

\* Store opposite Chas. Eders'  
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Chaska House,  
CHASKA, MINN.

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This house is thoroughly finished, and  
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BY THE DAY OR WEEK  
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GOOD STABLING ATTACHED.  
Charges Moderate.

CARPENTER  
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EDWARD RAUER,  
Waconia, Minn.

An undersigned has entered into a  
written contract for building  
a residence and other buildings, requiring  
a large amount of labor and  
a considerable time.

George Hinds, the gentlemanly  
editor of the Shakopee Argus,

drove over last Saturday on a pleasure  
trip. We acknowledge a short  
leave.

Messrs Hegeler & Olmstorf were  
the first to thresh this season in  
this County. They commenced  
threshing on Monday July 27th on  
a pleasure trip. We acknowledge a short  
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Our machine agents feel like  
"lost Sheep" since the canvassing  
season is over. Like a fish out of  
water, they are not in their natural  
element.

Herman Juergens, one of the Jor-  
dan nine, had the little finger of  
his left hand dislocated while play-  
ing on Thursday. Dr. Mulholand  
of that village immediately reset  
the same, and the young man went  
about his way as if nothing hap-  
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PETER FEYERSEN,  
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Marble Shop.

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A VERY LARGE and VARIED STOCK of FLANNELS, CHEAPER THAN EVER.  
BEAUTIFUL DRESS PLAIDS, FOREIGN, AND DOMESTIC.  
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CELEBRATED SKIRTING FLANNELS 64 INCHES WIDE.  
Their line of Mens, Boys, Youths & Childrens Suits & Over Coats is without exception the largest in the CITY.

For full foreign and domestic news see inside pages.

THE population of St. Paul and Minneapolis, as per delayed census returns, makes out to be—Minneapolis, 120,200, St. Paul, 111,325.

During our absence from home next week, Geo A. DuPuit, will edit the HERALD, and Will E. Elman will attend to the business part of the office.

The Democrats and Republicans have confounded in Iowa and nominated a fusion ticket with Grange Whiting, Democrat, for Governor, and Gillette, for Lt. Governor. The other offices were divided equally.

The platform adopted is specific anti-prohibition, favoring license and also anti-monopoly.

The Minnesota exhibit, which was on exhibition at the World's exposition, New Orleans, has been returned to the state, and it has been decided by the state fair management to produce it at their 27th annual fair, to be held at the new fair grounds midway between the cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis, September 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12th. The installation of the exhibit will be in charge of Mr. D. E. Barley, late secretary of the Minnesota commission at New Orleans.

Premises at the State Fair.

The Pioneer Press Company will exhibit prominently, at the coming State Fair, samples of the very attractive premiums which they are offering to subscribers to their Weekly. The Sewing Machine, which is offered with the weekly for \$15.00, will attract much attention. The Organ, and sets of Band Instruments are inducements for clubs.

The weekly itself has become a model paper for Northwestern families and farmers.

Very Discouraging.

An Exchange says: It behoves everybody to be on the watch these nights for burglars. The old fashioned habit that many good people have of letting their doors with carpet and of leaving out the festive bengal with a mosquito netting, is getting altogether to desecrate. A spring gun at each window and a ball dog on the front steps goes further to make more of a show, and shows what counts these days. Nothing so discourages an able bodied tramp or burglar as to have the top of his head blown off by a load of buckshot.

There is an impression in some localities of this country, that certain County officers are to be elected this fall, such is not the case however. The constitutional amendment adopted by the people of the State at the general election held in 1853, provides that the officers elected that year should hold their offices until 1856, and that thereafter they shall hold their offices respectively for two years except where not otherwise especially provided, and that elections hereafter, shall be held every two years, the first under the amendment occurring in 1856. So that all officers in office in this county now will hold their position until January 1st, 1856.

Cologne.

Business is picking up, and farmers are again to be seen on our streets.

Our flouring mill has shut down for repairs. It will be ready for operations as soon as the farmers have threshed.

H. Van Buren is the father this time. Two boy babies were added to his family last Monday week.

Father Brain went to St. Paul on Monday of last week to attend the annual retreat of the clergy.

George Gehrigs new residence is completed and is a new building for Cologne village.

Threshing has commenced in this vicinity and the yield is fair but not as good as last year.

The H & D Railroad Company are building a new round house, and contemplate other important improvements in Cologne in the near future.

F Linenthal and wife are expected back from Germany the last of next month.

Mich Bierlein is up in Renville County on a hunt.

Rev'd Father Braun, was calling on Chaska friends on Monday.

Building to Rent.

The undersigned offers his cane Press to Robert Miller place in Boston, Mass., for sale cheap. I will also instruct the purchaser how to make sorgum syrup. For particulars call on or write.

Joseph Gruber.

Jordan, Minn.

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Give us a trial.



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Waconia, Carver County, Minn.

This brewery has been enlarged and new machinery added to the establishment making it one of the best inland to wares of the state. All orders will be promptly filled and satisfied guaranteed.

Give us a trial.

The undersigned offers his cane Press to Robert Miller place in Boston, Mass., for sale cheap. I will also instruct the purchaser how to make sorgum syrup. For particulars call on or write.

Joseph Gruber.

Jordan, Minn.

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Give us a trial.

"XXX" or the man who wrote that answer is alive at last account but is very "low" said such a mighty effort to one not used to literary pursuits is apt to disturb the minds equilibrium. Turn the "crank" once more little one.

Dr B F Allen of Glencoe came down Sunday last to spend a day in Waconia. Now is the time to call on him and have your teeth examined. He will remain till the 31st inst.

The excursion last Saturday of the employees of the M & St L Ry was a large affair. The day was pleasant and every body seemed perfectly delighted with the lake and beautiful scenery.

Through the influence of Miss Damas, the city Mission school supported by Plymouth church, Minneapolis, will picnic on Coney Island next Wednesday.

Dr and Mrs Bray spent last week Sunday with friends in town and attended church in Scandia.

The change in the weather from hot to comfortable days has thin ned our summer boarders to some extent.

E Kaefer, as good a workman as can be found in the county seem to be having a good run in harness. Dr C W Riches has decked his horses with a fine set from his shop.

Chas Henning is getting ready for a lively wheat trade. He is also stocking up his store with new fall and winter goods. Henning is a good place to trade.

Frost has nipped the foliage in the eastern states and also in the west, but so far we have escaped, the chilly atmosphere at this writing indicates the near approach of frost.

Miss Addie May came up from the city last week to secure a school for the winter.

A Eisdell the prince Merchant of Waconia, went to the cities last week to increase his stock of goods; Everything you want can always be found in the store.

Died: On the morning of the 23d just of consumption, Rudolf only son of Carl Schmidt, aged 20 years and one month.

Rudolf was a fine promising young man of good habits and the pride of his parents. His health has been failing for over two years and medical aid proved of no avail.

The sympathies of friends go out towards the family on their affliction. Funeral from the Lutheran church on Tuesday.

Miss Alice Lundsten, left this week for Minneapolis, where she will spend a few weeks with friends before entering upon her school duties for the winter.

A large company dined at the City Hotel on Sunday and were treated to a well prepared dinner.

The Niagara was well loaded on Sunday evening with a merry crowd of young people, when she went around the lake for a moonlight excursion.

Mr. Julius Petzow, made merry with his friends last week one day and rounded up with a broken leg. He is said to be recovering.

Dr. Riches, had four patients in Young America the past two weeks where he has spent most of his time.

The Waconia Mill is a very important part of our village business.

Every woman who knows how to bake good bread praises the flour which is always of the best quality. Mr. Zacharias always turns out honest weight and a good quality. Come to our mill with your wheat and you will be sure to go away satisfied.

Personal—Maj Peck was in town last week on business.

Our old friend Ed L. Wright of the "Shakopee Argus" was in town Sunday last, in company with Ex chief of Police Kopp.

Chas R May of Waconia called on his Chaska friends last week.

Judge Whitlock of Belle Plaine was visiting the family of Atty. Odell on Sunday last.

K Krayenbuhl and Geo A DuToit were at Excelsior on Saturday.

F Linenthal and wife are expected back from Germany the last of next month.

Mich Bierlein is up in Renville County on a hunt.

Rev'd Father Braun, was calling on Chaska friends on Monday.

Building to Rent.

The two story frame building of Herman Brinkhaus, adjoining his new brick block is for rent. The same is in the style of a Dore Store. For particulars call on Herman Brinkhaus.

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TO BUY YOUR GOODS  
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HARTMANN & MELVINS  
NEW STORE**

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# Valley Herald.

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CHASEA, MINNESOTA

The Current Number of the North American Review contains the opinions of eight supporters and critics as to what the Grant monument should be and all of them would involve the expenditure of vast sums, one of them calling for the outlay of a million dollars. It will probably be some time ere any of them are carried to completion by voluntary efforts.

The States which stand at the head of the list as comprising the States are Illinois, 325,702,481 bushels; Iowa, 275,621,247 bushels; Missouri, 202,485,723 bushels; Indiana, 115,482,300 bushels; Ohio, 111,877,124, and Kansas, 105,729,325 bushels. Kentucky comes next, with over 72,000,000 bushels, and Nebraska follows with over 65,000,000 bushels.

The wheat crop of the East Indies is now estimated at 286,000,000 bushels for the present year. The acreage occupied by wheat in India is now about one-half of the United States wheat acre, and is said to be capable of urgent expansion as the wheat zone of the Northwest, in the United States and British America, and railroads are being rapidly constructed for the express purpose of bringing the crop to the seaboard.

As 36,000,000 sets of Gen. Grant's memorials have been ordered several months in advance of the issue of the two volumes, and Mrs. Grant is to receive 15 per cent. of the profit on the work in this country, and 85 per cent. abroad, it is evident that she is to be made independent by the literary toll of the last months of her husband's life, and it must have been a great comfort to him to know that, in spite of incurable disease, he was himself able to repair the fortunes of his family.

They had so much silver in the safe Treasury at New Orleans as not to know how to keep it safely, and accordingly the war-steamer Swatara is bringing to the sub-Treasury in New York a cargo of 12,500 boxes, each containing 3,000 big dollars. It has not been long since the vaults in Washington had to be enlarged, and also the vaults in San Francisco. The like of this has not been known since the old days when the galleons used to bear cargoes of the precious metal to the treasury of the Spanish Kings.

In England, as in the United States, railroad freights are higher for short hauls than for long hauls; and smaller towns complain that they are discriminated against. The town of Hull is just now complaining that her merchants and manufacturers are charged as high rates as those of Newcastle, which is much farther from London. They demand that their rates shall be lowered, or those for Newcastle raised, in proportion to distance. Thus this question is not settled in the old countries of Europe, after half a century of government regulation.

Senator Colquitt has furnished the first instance in the history of Georgia, says the New York Sun, in which father and son represented the State in the senate of the United States. Such occurrences are very rare. They are these of Senators Bayard, Don Cameron and Colquitt. The Bayards have represented Delaware in the senate without interruption for three generations. Don Cameron took his father's seat. There were 30 years between Walter T. Colquitt and his son in the senate.

New Jersey, mainly on account of its small area, is frequently subjected to sneering remarks, but her late census shows remarkable progress in population. In 1850 her population was 672,035; now it is reckoned on 1,277,000, nearly double the number counted twenty-five years ago. The same tendency which is observable in other Eastern States is noted in New Jersey, namely that the growth in population is almost entirely confined to the cities, while the country districts remain stationary.

Gen. Sherman speaks somewhat contemptuously of the great number of projects that have been put to foot for the building of Grant monuments throughout the country. "They cross roads, village walls, etc." says he, and will be "many poor mass instead of a few fine ones." Certainly a few fine ones are sure to be desired, and they will be built, too; but at the same time, if the cross-roads villages choose to erect smaller ones, according to their means, it may be doubted if their efforts should be slightlying or disapprovingly treated.

It has been the custom of Eastern newspapers to speak of the West as the home of cyclones and tornadoes, but recent experiences at home have made them change their tune. Some of the worst blizzards ever recorded were in the Eastern states. A Washington paper is moved to say: "Destructive storms are evidently more common in the east than formerly. What the reason is, and possible remedies, should engage the close attention of science. It is likely that the American architect of the future will pay more attention to cellars and basements than has heretofore been given to that branch of domestic architecture." The West has got a bad reputation, mainly on account of frequent exaggerations by reporters of the damages done. It is not enough to state facts, as they do at the east, but accounts must contain a "fine writing" and the product of vivid imaginations, and these things are transferred bodily into eastern papers to the detriment of western sections where such a thing as a cyclone was never known.

## LATEST NEWS SUMMARY.

### Details of the Harrold, Dak., Tragedy.

William M. Todd, who shot Cooper, his brother-in-law at Harrold, Dak., is a smooth-faced young man, not more than twenty years of age, tall, thin looking and has none of the characteristics that indicate a desperadoism. The family was married to a sister of Todd, but on account of Cooper's roving habits he left home, and returned to his parents' house a year ago. The two families came into conflict, and Todd, who had a quarrel with his wife Juliette, who is charged with desertion, shot her in the heart. He had trouble with his brother-in-law, Harley, and Harley sought revenge for him, but the two families were separated in the Todd and Cooper families, and Cooper's wife again left him. This time he did not leave him, and returned to his wife.

"Well, you will not make trouble," said Todd, and struck him in the face, and then drew him off his horse, and went away but soon after the parties met at the postoffice in Harrold. The parties had a sharp struggle, and Todd, who had heart trouble, and was unable to get away, was shot in the back, and died on the spot. His wife, who was a widow, and had been arrested at the prisonatorium, was sent to the hospital, and died there.

A dispute states that Adelante, the Orleans defendant, subtreasury clerk, was not guilty of the killing of his wife, and that he had been compelled to kill her. Charles E. Whittlesey, Minnesota state senator, and a former ex-judge and member of the convention, is a candidate for governor. Hon. W. T. Brannon of the legislature, and a former legislator, is a candidate for governor. Hon. H. E. Gillette of Minneapolis, Greenback candidate and a former legislator, is a candidate for lieutenant governor, and E. M. Moore, county Greenback candidate, for superintendent of public instruction. The following ruling was adopted:

### The Platitudes.

The Democratic party of Iowa announces the following platitudes:

"We hold that the people are entitled to be free and equal, and that all men are created equal."

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**THE JOY OF A GIRL JUST ENGAGED.**

From the Utica Observer.  
There is a tie which binds the hearts  
Of youth and love in shining bands;  
What a joyous tie!—the sacred sign,  
The sacred sign, and so chaste bands!  
All blessed is the mystic tie!

More than love can bind or destroy  
That thrilling chord which binds our hearts  
In the deep fellowship of joys.

But there is deeper subtle sense  
Of kinship, when smile and frown  
Observe each other, and tasteless  
We meet the eyes which have known tears.

Hearts which have learned, like ours, the  
Loss or wrong, nor gained relief,

We meet on consecrated ground  
With those in fellowship of grief.

But, or twice, perchance, in life  
When, through much thought and many  
tears.

We have attained the height  
From which no falling now appears

But feeling poignant of the night;

White God is stable; God is just;

We find a friend who meets us here  
In the grand fellowship of truth.

Hartford King Griswold.

**THE COLONEL.**

**A Story of an Old Soldier.**

"What has become of Lenoir?"

"Where is Lenoir?"

The plaudits of solid business men, comprising the bulk of the membership of Garfield post, No. 3, Grand Army of the Republic, had regarded as a downright grievance a call to attend a meeting for the transaction of special business, appointed at the very inconvenient hour of two in the afternoon. They had responded to the order under protest, taken part in the proceedings with an abstracted air, flung at the break in their usually routine, ostentatiously consulted their watches with the anxiety of men who were neglecting important engagements, and when the meeting at length adjourned gathered into cosy knots here and there, and settled down for a comfortable chat and the revival of old Army reminiscences.

The first speaker, Jim Brewster, was a lumber merchant who had acquired extensive tracts of land covered with forest growth second only to the big trees of the Calaveras and Mariposa groves. He had so prospered in his business ventures that his name had been identified with the natural product he raised in the commercial world, and had gained the surname of the Prince of Redwood. He had lately purchased a large piece of land at the foot of Sixth-st., including with it his lumber mill, a very fine saw-mill, a classical specimen in the banks of Mission Creek, known as the "lumber man's creek," where the Italian seagoers had from time immemorial deposited the contents of their carts, and raked the putrid and decaying masses of paper-seeds of old iron, and other articles of commerce, as well as the pieces of timber, mostly dropped by the ash-bark by enterprisers. Many a long day laborers were firing away, and the watch-woman, as high tide is for a very considerable distance, a navigable stream, as it was generally conceded, a mile wide, which year after year shrewd venture and woe soon turn the tide of traffic from the crowded thoroughfare of Stewart-st.

The Prince of Redwood himself had all the show of present, most compehensive over his evidence of his own sagacity, but a stormy interview in the underwriters' office that noon disturbed the serenity of his heart, and he hurried home to his new apartment.

Meeting some old comrades, one of whom, old Martin, who had fought side by side with him through four years of the conflict, had lost the perplexity of his mind, and plunged with eager zest into an animated discussion of past campaigns, in the course of which he made the inquiry that heads this chapter.

"Lenoir?" The speaker who vented his reply, was a plain, tall, very genial and highly enterprising individual of individuals who are commonly accredited with the possession of universal knowledge, and whose information is said to be exact in the average biography of biography.

"Lenoir's wife died just before he was mustered out in '65. Broke him all up, for a while, but he got along to Florida uneventfully in an orange grove, and lived on the fat of the land."

"He's an old fellow—Lenoir," rebounded a grizzled veteran who abominated to concede his predilection for powder and cold steel by keeping a gun-shop in Bush-st.

"Old there wasn't a nobler fellow in the service." He was a hero, if ever there was one, and the speaker, with such unfeigned respect, over his evidence of his own sagacity, but a stormy interview in the underwriters' office that noon disturbed the serenity of his heart, and he hurried home to his new apartment.

He cooled down a little, and observed the sensation his remark had created, and exchanged his enthusiasm for a dry, disinterested tone.

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and  
**BILLIARD HALL**  
CIAKSA - MINN.  
Peter Itts, Proprietor.

This well known Hotel has recently been  
fully refurnished and is now in every  
way and looks and is now No. 1 in every-  
where.

THE BAR  
Is stocked with the finest imported  
Liquors, wines and cigars  
and the coolest and  
best beer in town  
constantly kept  
on draught.  
Give me a call and become satisfied  
what I say is true

**Washington House!**

CHASKA, MINNESOTA.

**Mrs John Kerker**

This old and well known Hotel has been  
entirely refitted, and now offers the  
best of accommodation to the  
traveling public.

**Good Sample Room for  
Traveling Salesmen.**

The best of LIQUORS WINES & CIGARS  
kept at the Bar.

Fresh Beer always on tap.

Charges Reasonable.  
STABLE ATTACHED.

**E. Besemann.  
Billiard Hall !**

CHASKA, MINN.

I have just fitted up  
one of the neatest  
SALOONS AND BILLIARD HALLS

In Chaska, and will keep  
constantly on hand the best of  
Liquors, Wines and Cigars.  
Also Fresh Beer on tap every morning.  
GIVE ME A CALL.

**MEAT MARKET**  
by  
**Charles Gehl**

CHASKA, — MINN.  
Always keep on hand Fresh Beef, Pork, Mutton,  
Corned Beef, Ham, Smoked Sausage,  
Dried Beef, Lard, &c.

Shop 2d Street. By 10 A.M.

**NEW STORE**

**NEW GOODS**

**NEW PRICES**

— NEW —

**BOOTS & SHOE STORE**

BY  
**FRANK EISELE**

Chaska — Minn.

I have just received and opened  
a large stock of boots, shoes,  
sabers, rubber boots, slippers  
etc.

All goods warranted No. 1 in  
ability and will be sold very

**CHEAP FOR CASH!**

Store opposite Chas. Eders,  
loom.

**Chaska House,**

CHASKA, MINN.

**FERD HAMMER PROP.**

This house is thoroughly finished, and  
offers the best accommodations for board  
BY THE DAY OR WEEK

and for the Traveling Public

GOOD STABLING ATTACHED

Charges Moderate.

**CARPENTER**

**BUILDER & MOVER.**

**BERNHARD RAUH,**

Waconia, Minn.

The undersigned will construct for building  
new buildings or moving buildings,  
old buildings and in fact all kinds of  
carpenter work. Charges reasonable.

**Marble Shop.**



St. HUBERT CHANHAESSEN.

The undersigned has opened a new marble  
shop in St. Hubert, Chanhassen, and is ready  
to furnish Monuments, head stones and mar-  
ble work of all kind, and to guarantee all of  
his work as to quality and workmanship, no  
price that will be charged.

JOHN FEYERSEN.

**VALLEY HERALD.**

**B. R. Time Table**

Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R.

SOUTH. NORTH.

Passenger 8:30 a.m. | Passenger 6:30 a.m.

do 4:30 p.m. do 6:30 p.m.

do 8:30 p.m. do 6:30 p.m.

R. H. GOLAY, Agt.

C. H. & St. P. R. R. & D. Div.

TIME TABLE NO. 2.

EAST. WEST.

Mixed Passengers 8:30 a.m. | Mixed 8:30 p.m.

The above Train connects at Cologne with

FRED GREENER, Jr. Agent

HOME AND COUNTY NEWS.

Don't

Forget

To pay

The printer.

We need money.

Good weather to plow.

The harvest was a fair one.

Settle up your store accounts.

"Live and let live," is a good old  
adage to go by.

If you want a good suit of cloths  
go to

Hartmann & Melvin.

Don't forget that Saturday is  
Fair day; look out for a big time  
in Chaska.

Fall term of District Court con-  
venes Monday, Sept 14th.

The Sheriff is out serving Jury  
summons and other Court papers.

The Criminal Calendar this fall  
is the longest in the history of the  
County.

Peter Hall and Ernest Besemann  
have purchased a Steam threshing  
rig and are now out in the County  
threshing.

Our thanks are hereby returned to  
Auditor Streukens and Co. Atty  
Odell for a number of fine prairie  
chickens. They were a fine lot and  
just filled the bill.

Next Saturday is fair day. Let  
every body come and bring their  
farm produce, stock &c.

The best and cheapest assortment  
of flannels at

Hartmann & Melvin.

John Radde and wife of Waco-  
nia were in town on Wednesday  
of last week and we were glad to  
meet them in our village.

Alois Zurst of Waconia is agent  
for the Orth Brewing Company,  
for the sale of beer at Waconia by  
the eighth or keg. He also keeps  
the same on draught, fresh all the  
time. Give him a call.

Flour, feed, graham, corn meal  
always fresh at

Hennig & Oerter.

Norwood wheat buyers are pay-  
ing 75 cents per bushel for new  
wheat and Chaska only \$8. How  
is that gentlemen's. Rise and ex-  
plain.

The largest stock, will as usual  
be found at

Hessing & Oerter's

Frank Elzell, has purchased his  
partner's interest in the Blacksmith  
business, and will hereafter Con-  
duct the business alone. He has the  
reputation of being a No. 1 horse  
shoer.

The Floral Tributes of love, given  
by the many friends of Mr Fred  
Greiner Jr., were the handsomest  
ever seen in Chaska. We have  
not the space to specify each and  
all this week; but would like to do  
so very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Levensky buried  
a young son from the Catholic  
Church on Tuesday. The parents  
have the sympathy of friends in  
their bereavement.

Hennig & Oerter are Headquar-  
ters for everything in the flannel  
line.

Adolph Bauman, dealer in harness  
and saddleery-wear Belle Plaine  
was in town attending the funeral of  
his brother-in-law, Frank Kunz  
on Wednesday.

Depot agent Bongard and Jacob  
Meissner of Cologne, were in town  
attending the funeral of Mrs. Greiner  
Wednesday.

Fred Wommer, the live young  
Merchant of Carver was attending  
the funeral of Mrs Greiner Wednes-  
day and was one of those who sang  
with the Concordia at the grave.

A new iron roof is being put on  
the old Court House building. It  
will look much better when completed.  
Philip Henk has the job.

The highest market price for all  
farm produce at

Hartmann & Melvin.

Capt. Geo. Houghton & wife,  
were in town several days last week  
visiting with the family of Geo. A.  
DuToit. The Capt. is an old pio-  
neer settler of this County, and is  
always a welcome visitor to our  
County.

Frank Beile, Wm. Hahmeyer,  
Ang. Woehling and Co. Treasury  
Weegs, went out on a fishing excus-  
tion on Monday and will camp on  
the borders of Lake Minnetonka a  
few days. We predict that they

Wild plums are plenty in this  
market at a \$1 per bushel.

Chas. T. Young, made a nice dis-  
play of flannels and woolen goods  
on the side of his store this week.

Read our new adds this week.  
We are unable to make any com-  
ments this week, on account of  
time.

We are pleased to announce that  
Mrs Van Sloun, wife of Martin, is  
slowly but surely improving and  
now pronounced out of danger.

Jacob Van Muelken Sr., adver-  
tises his farm for sale in this issue.  
It is situated near town and will be  
sold on good terms. Call on him  
or G. A. DuToit for particulars.

We would like to publish the  
number of bushels of wheat  
threshed to the acre in different lo-  
calities in the county and will be  
pleased to receive reports from far-  
mers and threshers.

Mr. William Foos and his sister  
ida, of St. Paul, came up on Wed-  
nesday a few days visit with  
the family of Mrs. Elmauntraut.  
We acknowledge a pleasant visit.

Casper Schmidt, left for Little  
Falls, Morrison County, on Tuesday  
morning, where he will work at his  
trade hereafter. He has been home on  
a visit for the past two months.

The harvest picnic of Peter Itts  
last Sunday is said to have been  
a success. The day was pleasant  
the music splendid and the crowd  
jovial. If it had been a little later  
it would have been better attended.

Mr. Fred Greiner Jr., desires to  
return his sincere thanks to all  
kind friends who assisted at the  
sickness and burial of his wife and  
especially to the "Concordia Sing-  
ing Society" for their song at the  
grave.

Immediately after Court we will  
commence the collection of Subscrip-  
tions due to the Herald for 1885.  
We are in need of money for con-  
templated improvements in the  
Herald office. Be sure and have  
them sent in.

The school board met last Mon-  
day evening, and decided upon the  
following corps of teachers for the  
ensuing year viz.

J. C. Thomas of Young Amer-  
ica as principal, Miss Con. DuToit,  
intermediate department and Mrs.  
E. L. Stoughton and Miss Lena  
Young, primary department.

It will be seen that the number  
of teachers has been increased by  
one, that number being deemed  
necessary.

Mr Taylor the retiring principal,  
has served the people long and  
faithfully and if Mr Thomas fills  
the bill as well as he, no one will  
find any fault. Mr Taylors many  
friends in this village hope that he  
will remain with us, devoting his  
time to some other employment,  
as he is a too valuable citizen to  
lose.

Midnight Marauders entered the  
dwelling house of J. A. Roemer on  
Wednesday night and carried away  
the gold watch and wallet of Mr. R.  
The hail storm we spoke of last  
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One half interest in the Helvetia  
Flour and saw mills. The mill has  
all the latest improved machinery  
and is one of the best custom mills  
in Carver County. Will be sold at  
a great bargain. Good reasons for  
selling.

Lumber at cost at

Hartmann & Melvin.

One of the young twins recently  
born to Louisa Krause was bur-  
ied on Sunday morning. The other  
is in a healthy condition and is  
getting along nicely.

The "Concordia" boys are mak-  
ing great preparations for a grand  
time on Sunday let everybody attend  
the excursion and have a grand  
time.

Four Brass Bands, and seven so-  
cieties at the Stiftungsfest on Au-  
gust 30th 1885, at Young America,  
a grand time for all.

Some of our young people are or-  
ganizing a Quartette & Glee Club.  
It promises to be a good one, look  
out for it.

Mr. Marx & family, one of the  
prominent business men from Shap-  
ake, attended the funeral of Mrs.  
Greiner Jr., on Wednesday of last  
week.

Every body remember the Grand  
Excursion next Sunday at Young  
America.

The Concordia Singing Society  
of this place, Social Clubs of Car-  
ver and Shakopee, will give a grand  
excursion to Young America, on  
Sunday, Aug. 30th 1885, Maurice Brown, aged 37  
years being the 25th anniversary of  
that place. The societies have char-  
tered a train on the H. & D. R. Road,  
and tickets will be sold at greatly  
reduced rates from all stations on  
this line. Let every body go and  
have a good time, as it will be  
a grand excursion of the season.

Ice Cream, Confectionaries,  
Nuts, Oranges, Lemons & C.  
ODELL'S.

Subscribe for the Valley Her-  
ald.

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party to take entire control